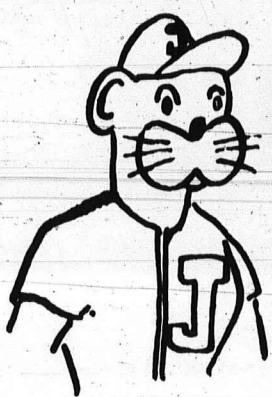


Baseball  
is a game  
of breaks—  
all bad for  
St. Joe.



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## New Student Council Takes Office

### Bali Hai Calls to Frosh, Sophs On the Winds of 'South Pacific'

by Bob Rospenda  
(Picture on Page 5)

The date . . . May 16. The place . . . an isolated isle in the far off South Pacific. What kind of night will it be? It will be a night like all nights, filled with those events which alter and illuminate our times, and many St. Joe freshmen and sophomores will be there!

Saturday, May 16, at 8:30 the Rec hall will be transformed into a tropical paradise complete with all the trimmings. Finals and all other earthly worries of civilization will be dissolved as the underclass Pumas and their dates bask in tropical breezes below the fluttering palms.

The affair is of course the Frosh-Soph Hop, the underclassmen's equivalent of the Prom.

Decoration-wise, the south wall of the Rec hall will feature a rugged mountain scene, typical of a South Pacific island. On the other walls will be varying views of the little atoll located somewhere in the deep warm waters of the Pacific.

Also, to the south will be a miniature, but impressive lagoon. Spanning the width of the lagoon will be a bridge complete with arch, sufficient to hold two people safely. The lagoon will serve as a wishing well, and if a dancegoer is in the mood, he may escort his date up the bridge, flip a coin into the water, make a wish, then seal it with a kiss.

The dance area will have an indoor effect with the bandstand consisting of a grass hut. In keeping with the general atmosphere, the St. Joe dance band, in providing the music will be outfitted in loud sport shirts and corresponding tropical wear.

General chairman for this island retreat is Vic Pariso with Phil Ullo presiding over the decorations. Tickets for the dance may be purchased for \$5.00 apiece at the rear of the cafeteria. Those attending the dance have been asked by the committee not to wear tuxedos since the dance will not be of a formal nature.

The tropical moon will rise over the island, the surf will be sounding in the distance, a refreshing ocean breeze will drift over the gathering, and all will be set for a night of memories in the South Pacific, Puma style.

### Band To Give Pop Concert On May 20

Fifty-two Pumasville musicians will display their talents once again this spring as they swing out to present the annual Pop Concert, on Wednesday evening, May 20. Under the direction of Mr. Adam P. Lesinsky, this large group will fill the campus auditorium with that pleasant "big band" sound.

Probably the most popular number on the program will be "The Fife Bottle and Jug Band." This is a novelty piece originated by Mr. Lesinsky himself in 1936. A six man group consisting of Dean Van Leirsburg and Ed Laude on the fives and Mike Gradi, Sam Mirabella, Art West and Paul Sula on the "bottles and jugs" will produce some tongue-in-cheek harmony. They will play two arrangements by Mr. Lesinsky—"Poetical Peanuts Overture" and a medley of old time favorites.

The program will open with a medley of George Gershwin tunes arranged by David Bennett. Then the band will switch to Latin American rhythms with "Rhumbaland" arranged by Robert Cray. James Deegan, a senior baritone, will sing "Some Enchanted Evening," the classic of Rogers and Hammerstein. "Victory at Sea" by Richard Rogers and "Lassus Trombone" by Henry Fillmore will also be featured on the show.

### 4 New Profs To Join SJC In September

by Ed McGee

Fr. Edward A. Maziarz, academic dean of the college, has announced that four new faculty members will be added to the St. Joseph's college teaching staff in September, while three will be leaving.

The new appointees are: Mr. J. A. Abraham, M.A., Dr. Robt. W. Morrell, M.B.A., Ph.D., Sr. M. Audrey Bourgeois, M.A., and Sr. M. Delphine Kolker, M.A., Ph.D.

Mr. Abraham will join the English department. He received his M.A. from the University of Wisconsin in 1950 and is presently a Ph.D. candidate in English at the same school.

Dr. Morrell will become an assistant professor of business at St. Joseph's. He received his M.B.A. from the University of Chicago in 1950 and his Ph.D. from St. Louis University in 1957. Dr. Morrell is currently on the teaching staff at the University of Detroit. Previously he had taught at St. Louis and DePaul universities.

Sr. M. Audrey Bourgeois will assume duties in the education department. She received her M.A. from Catholic university and is currently an instructor at the sister's college in Washington, D.C., Catholic University.

Sr. M. Delphine Kolker will become an assistant professor of English. She received her M.A. from Catholic University in 1944 and her Ph.D. from the same University in 1952.

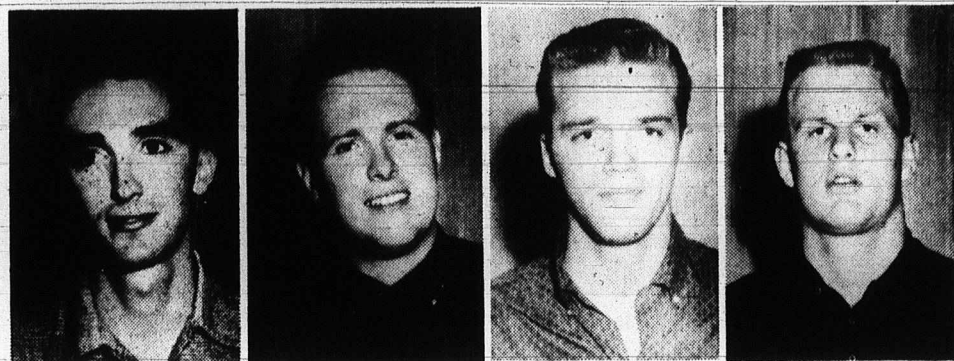
Fr. Maziarz also announced that Fr. Lawrence F. Heiman will rejoin the college staff as associate professor of humanities. Fr. Heiman has been on leave of absence to Rome, Italy for the past few years while doing advanced studies.

Leaving the St. Joseph's teaching staff after the present semester are Dr. Walter L. Blackledge, M.A., J.D., Ph.D., Sister Mary Petronella Schroeder, C.P.P.S., M.S., Ph.D., and Sister Mary Theona Smith, C.P.P.S., M.A. The two sisters are being relocated due to the program changes recently made by the college.

Dr. Blackledge came to St. Joseph's in 1958 and has been serving as an associate professor of business. He received his M.A., J.D., and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Iowa where he completed his studies in 1951.

Sr. Petronella, an assistant professor of biology, was granted her bachelors degree from Xavier university in 1934 and her masters and doctors degrees from the Institutum Divi Thomae. She has been at St. Joseph's since 1957.

Sr. Theona has been at St. Joseph's since 1956 and is an instructor of English. She received her bachelors degree from the university of Dayton in 1946 and has studied at St. Louis university and the Catholic University of America.



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### Gallagher Named Senior Prexy; Hanley To Lead Class of '61

by Jerry Mauch

Seven out of nine voting positions on the Student Council have now been filled after three long weeks of campaigning and balloting for both Council and class officer candidates.

Chosen by vote of the entire student body to serve as the 1959-60 Student Council president is Maurice O'Connor, junior, from Evansville, Ind. Serving under O'Connor in other Council officer positions are vice-president, Matthew Lynch, junior, from Chicago, Ill.; secretary, Roger Mueller, junior, from St. Louis, Mo.; and treasurer, Ed Massura, junior, from Chicago, Ill.

Other students chosen recently to fill Student Council positions are senior class president, Bob Gallagher, from Chicago, Ill.; junior class president, Al Hanley, from Oak Park, Ill.; and inter-club chairman, Ray Krizmanic, junior, from Joliet, Ill.

Senior and junior class officers elected by their classmates besides the presidents are senior class: vice-president, Bob Grotomat, from Ludington, Mich.; secretary, Ray Krizmanic, also elected inter-club chairman; and treasurer, Gary Stack, from Elmwood Park, Ill.; junior class: vice-president, Leo Klemme, from Earl Park, Ind.; secretary, Vito Mitalo, from Chicago, Ill.; and treasurer, Jim McCauley, from Manhasset, L. I., N. Y.

In the all-campus elections for the Council officer positions a total of 767 votes were cast out of a student body of 934 for a percentage of 82.1. Candidates needed a total of at least 385 votes to win the election on the first ballot. O'Connor gained a total of 506 votes, Lynch, 392, Mueller, 766 (uncontested), and Massura, 407.

Senior class officer elections brought 143 juniors out to vote from a class of 151, or 94.7 per cent. Needed to win in the first ballot were 73 votes. Totals received by the winners were Gallagher, 73; Grotomat, 87; Krizmanic, who won in a simple plurality runoff against Larry Siclair and Ed Dolan, 45; and Stack, 122 (uncontested).

Junior class officer balloting resulted in only one position being filled on the first ballot. Only 187 of 256 sophomores voted, or a percentage of 73.0, the lowest in all the elections so far. McCauley, who needed 95 votes to win on the first ballot, received 97 to take the junior class secretary position. All other candidates failed to receive a simple majority and were forced into two runoffs, the first being contested because of a default in the election. Winning on the second runoff out of a total of 212 votes cast were Hanley, 106 against Marty Waters, 105; Klemme, 123, against Bob Gallagher, 86; and Mitalo, 106, against Bill Zliet, 97. In the second runoff the sophomores brought 82.8 per cent of the class to the polls, an increase of 9.8 per cent from the first voting.

Only two positions on the Student Council still remain to be filled. These are the offices of sophomore and freshman class presidents.

### Mauch Named Regional Prexy Of NFCCS

St. Joseph's college became the regional office of the National Federation of Catholic College Students recently with the election of junior Jerry Mauch as president of the Fort Wayne region. Regional elections took place at a congress held on April 25 and 26 at the Sheraton-Lincoln hotel in Indianapolis.

Earlier in the same meeting St. Joseph's presented its formal application for admission to the national organization and was unanimously accepted by the member colleges. The Fort Wayne region includes all the Catholic colleges in the dioceses of Lafayette, Lansing, Grand Rapids and Ft. Wayne, along with the archdiocese of Indianapolis. Member colleges in this region are Aquinas, Notre Dame, St. Francis of Ft. Wayne, Marian, St. Mary of the Woods, Nazereth and St. Joe.

As president of the region, Mauch will call and preside at all regional congresses, councils and special meetings held within this territory, and shall officially represent the region at the national congresses held each year. This summer a congress will be held at St. Louis, Mo.

Students of St. Joseph's who attended the Indianapolis congress were John Norris, Tom Geffert, Ron Koron, Joe Kanamueller and Mauch. These delegates participated in various committees before the election meeting and carried the four votes allotted to St. Joseph's at the meeting itself.

Other officers chosen to lead the Ft. Wayne region were Mary Alice Conboy, of St. Mary of the Woods, students affairs vice-president; Mary Sue Thomas, of Nazereth, religious affairs vice-president; Mary Todd, of St. Francis, secretary; and Mike Sweet, of Notre Dame, treasurer.

Each regional member of NFCCS must appoint a junior and a senior delegate every year to organize and direct the operations on their campus. St. Joseph's delegates have not yet been appointed but will be named by the Student Council along with the rest of the committee appointments alter in the year. Active participation on the St. Joe campus will begin with the coming fall semester.

### H. R. H. Mme. Costello



Prom Queen Florence Costello walks regally away from the throne with her escort, Jerry Friedrich. Ladies-in-waiting to Her Majesty were Sue LeNeave, (l.) date of Jim Moulthrop, and Pat Kennedy, (r.) date of Joe McMullen. Not pictured is Priscilla May, date of Dick Winans.



## Will New SC Officers Make Any Policy Changes?

With the installation of the newly elected Student Council officers Monday night comes the question of what policies will be changed next year in the Council and what activities will be stressed.

For the past few years activities of these clubs have been limited to off-campus affairs. The Chicago club concentrates on dances in Chicago, the Motor City club works only in Detroit, and every other city or state club makes plans only in their own localities.

But need this be so? Is it not the function of these clubs to sponsor activities right here on campus where their members are banded together within the confines of scholasticism?

With an entirely new Council taking over the administration of student affairs, this might be one strong point of emphasis for next year that would surely tend to increase the status of these social organizations.

How can this be done? There are many ways. One very effective means of accomplishing the desired status is for the Council to make a sincere effort to push the clubs in this respect. With the new inter-club chairman already elected, he should make it his

duty to bring the social clubs to the campus level.

This could be done by sponsoring an event in which all these clubs can take part here on campus. Many other schools, in fact, most other schools, have an event which does just this thing. This activity is a campus carnival, with its booths and games each set up by a different organization.

Besides providing a very colorful and gay event for the students and the neighboring communities, it provides the clubs an opportunity to work on campus and to earn more money to help meet the expenses of their dances and social affairs off-campus.

With approximately 23 clubs now in existence here at St. Joe, good cooperation could bring about a very effective and successful carnival. Types of booths could be at the discretion of the individual clubs with the approval of the Council. Each club would be responsible for staffing its booth, for building it, and for tearing it down after the event is over.

As an incentive in the construction of these booths, a cash prize could be awarded to the booth judged best by an appointed student committee.

## Parents' Day Program Repeats as Huge Success

For the second time in two years, Parents' Day on the St. Joseph's campus, May 3, was again a huge success. Even though hindered by an open three-day weekend, attendance at the event was good and planning for the event was excellent.

Those to be credited with administration of the day's activities were Joe Gurgone and Mark Doorley, Parents' Day co-chairmen. These two members of the Student Council took over complete control of the affair at the request of the administration.

Also to be congratulated for a job well done are the juniors and seniors who aided the chairmen in welcoming the parents, in working as parking lot attendants and in ushering at the assembly in the fieldhouse.

In the fieldhouse a program was set up which gave every participant limited but enough time to give the parents an idea of the work they have been doing throughout the year.

Participating in the program were the band, the glee club, the Columbian players, the Pumaville Five plus Two and the Upperclassmen, each to be congratulated on their excellent performance.

Other congratulations go to those who received awards at the Awards Assembly which followed the talent program. Following are the awards announced by Fr. Edward A. Maziarz and passed out by Fr. Raphael H. Gross, college president:

The Indiana Association of Certified Public Accountants Award, won by Leroy Ellgass.

The Lay Trustee Business Award, won by Hank Stukenborg.

The Mary J. Pursley Award for Creative Writing, won by Ronald Moorman. Honorable mention went to Henry Pictor.

The Hanley Science Award, won by Ray Tennant.

The Monsignor T. M. Conroy Memorial Oratory Medal, won by Pat Goedert. Second and third place went to John Conlon and Thomas Moloney.

The John P. Hruzik Award, won by Ed Graczyk.

The Louis F. White Memorial Award, won by John Christen.

The Camera Club Awards, won by Chuck Seputis and John Lulewicz. Second places went to Dave McDermott and Ray Elenteny.

The Models and Crafts Awards, won by Don Stazy and Pat Goedert.

The Mother of the Year Award, won by Mrs. John A. Petuskey, mother of John A. Petuskey, of Xaxier hall.

The Stuff Club Award, won by the Engineering club.

The Who's Who Awards.

The Delta Sigma Epsilon Certificates.

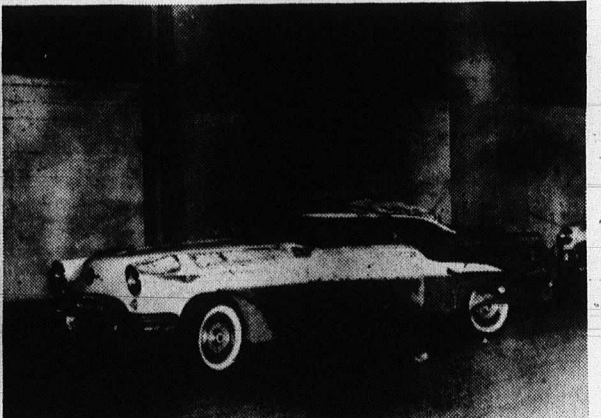
The Alumni Essay Contest, won by Jim McCullough. Second place went to Ronald Moorman.

And last but not least, congratulations also go to Fr. Joseph Otte, who served as advisor to the Parents' Day chairmen.

## Epitaph for an Olds



A ton of steel rocketing along at high speeds is fine down at Cape Canaveral, but on the highways of Indiana it has all the potentialities of a tomb of jagged glass and twisted frame. This is not a picture of the aftermath of a stock car race—it was almost a pictorial epitaph.



## Collegeville Confidential

by Tim J. Sullivan, Jr.

On June 4th, 1959, 975 of the happiest people you ever saw in your life will suddenly run out of the Science building, throw an assortment of text books about 20 feet into the air, and run for cars, buses, trains, planes, and anything else that will carry them away from St. Joseph's college to the comparative luxury of a job and home. Why are these people so happy? Why are they glad to leave? We will let you answer that yourself.

However, just think for a minute. What are you going to have to face "outside"? In the first place, there will be no more getting up at 10 of eight for an eight o'clock class. Now you will be getting up at 10 of eight for an eight o'clock job. And, there will be no more coffee-breaks in the Rec. hall between classes. Now it will be a beer-break in one of the local taverns between naps on the job. And, just think of all the sleep! No more going to bed at 5:00 a.m. because you have a term paper to hand in tomorrow. You will be going to bed at 5:00 a.m. because . . . (the following lines were censored, because they were in poor taste. Editor.) After all this, don't you wish you were staying here to go to summer school, instead of going home to all that decadence and moral turpitude?

Now, all of you must, and just have to, admit that this year has been a good year. For example, for the first time in the history of St. Joseph's college not one student has been expelled for drinking, anywhere, whether or not it was on or off school property. Will wonders never cease? Secondly, nobody got messed up with a blind-date for the Prom, and, we hope, nor will anyone get messed up for the Hop in the same way. These two things alone are enough to make a year a good year, to which we should drink a fervent toast.

### Comments overheard at the Prom and What they Mean in English

(One girl to another) "My, that's a very pretty dress!" . . . "Bargain-basement stuff!"  
(Boy to Girl) "Nice Perfume!" . . . "Arrgh!"  
(Boy to Blind Date) "It has been a lovely evening!" . . . "Commere, baby, 'n kiss me good night!"  
(Girl to Boy) "My what nice decorations!" . . . "Notre Dame has nicer ones though!"  
(Girl to Boy) "That's a nice tux. Is it yours?" . . . "Gingiss certainly had a time fitting this boy!"  
(Girl to Boy) "My, you boys certainly have good meals down here." . . . "No wonder you're so fat and sloppy!"  
(Prefect to Boy) "Unfortunately, you are 10 minutes late for check." . . . "There will be no dances for you the rest of this year!"  
(Dean of Men to Boy) "Ten minutes late, huh?" . . . "Go home, Loogan!"  
(Friends to Boy) "That girl you were with had a nice personality!" . . . "What a Dog!"  
(Boy to Self) "Never again!" . . . "Next year!"

### A letter from Ann . . .

The other day in the mail we received a very unusual letter. It came from a very prominent Love-Lorn Columnist in Chicago, and told us that she had received the letter in the mail. Since it concerned SJC she thought perhaps we would like to print it. Here it is:

"Dear Ann,  
I have a problem. I have two brothers. One goes to St. Joseph's college, and the other was just sentenced to death in the electric chair. My mother died of insanity when I was three years old. My two sisters are prostitutes, and my father sells narcotics.

Recently I met a girl who had just been released from a reformatory where she served time for smothering her illegitimate child to death. I love this girl and I want to marry her. My problem is this: Should I tell this girl about my brother who goes to St. Joseph's college?

Mixed-up!"

Ann did not tell us how she answered the letter, or who the guy's brother was. Funny Sights and Sounds . . . funniest sights of all, Joe Kanamueller and Jud Mauch . . . The unfortunates who have to be in at 7:00 for the rest of the week . . . Tom Lewis' straw hat . . . the letter from the Lake County club to those going to picnic last Saturday . . . congratulations to all those who figured out some very original posters for the various elections being held . . . the waiters at the Prom . . . Rog Mueller's cast outside the set of "tails" he wore to the Prom . . . all the guys in the library, feverishly writing term papers . . . the seniors chickening out in the great water battle Tuesday night . . . J. Lambke's pocket radio, and his use of it in classes, as a "visual aid," of course . . . That seems to wrap it up for this issue . . . remember, forever, and ever, . . .

. . . No man is poor as long as he can still laugh . . .

## Thinking Men Prefer

by Joe Lillich

"They're rioting in Rensselaer, tra-la la-la-la-la . . ." seems to be the current theme whistled in the streets of Jasper County's capital city, Rensselaer, home of Hoosier radical Republicanism and a city which is tenderly placed between the steel mills of Gary and the leafy glades of Terre Haute, has given us our topic for discussion this issue: "What do you think of Rensselaer?"

Kenneth Scipta, freshman, Chicago, Ill.

I think it's a typical college town: indifferent toward the school, yet at heart against it.

Dear Ken,

You may not know it, but somewhere in Pumaville you have broken many a heart. Some of us feel we are loved by those people to the north.

Alan Joseforsky, freshman, Gary, Indiana.

It is a beautifully contrived city with its many famous buildings. Yes, it truly has a vast acreage of valuable land which makes it so prosperous. The city should be proud of itself.

Dear Al,

Not Gary boy, the question is, "What do you think of Rensselaer?"

John Nahnsen, freshman, Chicago, Ill.

I think Rensselaer is out of this world and that is where it should stay.

## Retreat Changes

Fr. Leonard J. Kostka, college chaplain, has announced that the retreat program for the students will be changed next year.

It is tentatively planned to have four separate retreats on separate weekends in Lent. The student body will more than likely be separated according to class for these retreats.

This will differ from the past when the entire student body was on retreat at the same time. This reorganization should enable each student to put more into the retreat and thus, gain more benefit from it.

Dear John,

This attitude is very poor, but the effect would be desirable—could you imagine a Rensselaernik!

Thomas Sengelmann, freshman, Chicago, Ill.

I really don't care either way about it.

Dear Tom,

You have left us cloaked in mystery. What are these different ways and why don't you care?

Arthur Glick, freshman, Chicago, Ill.

Rensselaer would be a decent town if there was only something to do; but as it stands now a guy can't do anything in the place.

Dear Art,

Are you implying that Rensselaer is not decent, is that what you said? And what do you mean nothing is standing.

Robert Hayes, freshman, Chicago, Ill.

It isn't Chicago—that's evident!

Dear Bob,

You're right!

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## Frs. Gross and Robbins Chosen Rome Delegates

The Very Rev. Raphael H. Gross, St. Joseph's College president, and the Rev. Charles J. Robbins, registrar, are among nine fathers from the American Province of the Society of the Most Precious Blood who have been chosen as delegates to the General Chapter in Rome this summer.

Also attending as a delegate ex officio will be the Very Rev. John E. Byrne, recently elected provincial of the American province.

The 10 American representatives will join priest-delegates from the society's German, Italian and Austrian provinces on about July 1 to elect a new curia—the governing body of the entire society—which includes the moderator general and four definitors, or consultants. The term for each of the five positions is 12 years.

Selected as American delegates in addition to Frs. Gross and Robbins were Frs. Herbert Linenberger, Seraphim Oberhauser, Isidore McCarthy, Harold Diller, Andrew Pollack, Walter Pax and Aloys Dirksen. The delegates are chosen by mail ballot by all the priests in the province.

Any priest member of the Society of the Precious Blood can be elected moderator general if he has been in the society for 10 years from the time of his temporary profession and is at least 40 years old. Any priest-member can be elected consultant if he has been in the society for at least 10 years.

In addition to casting their votes, the delegates will also have other business at the general chapter, including the approval of the society's constitutions by the Holy See and a decision on either a uniform Manual of Prayers for all the provinces or one adapted to each province. The delegates are also authorized to discuss any other business that might arise.

The American representatives are scheduled to leave New York by boat about June 9 and are due back in New York about Aug. 9.

## SJ Bookstore Wins Contest For Promotion

St. Joseph's college bookstore has won first prize in a national contest for their Book-a-Month club promotion. The contest, sponsored by the National Association of College Stores, was based on the kind of project used to encourage greater reading of technical and reference books as well as wider outside reading.

The award was presented to Fr. Edward M. Roof at a NACS convention in New York City recently. There were 332 colleges represented and ten awards were given. The Iowa Supply Co. of the University of Iowa was in second place.

Representatives of the larger book publishers judged the contest and the presentation of the awards was made at a banquet in the New Yorker hotel. Mr. Hanna, the incoming president of NACS, presided over the awards presentation. He is the representative of the DePauw bookstore and, in announcing St. Joe as the winner, he noted that they had beaten DePauw every year in football and were now not only champions of the ICC in football but also had the top bookstore in the nation.

## SJC Awarded \$3,760 Grant For Research

Beginning next semester and running for approximately one year, interested students majoring in the natural sciences will be able to request financial help to carry on research. A grant of \$3,760 was awarded to the Division of Natural Sciences by the National Science Foundation. The students desiring aid will make a formal request to the allocation committee through the faculty member under whom they plan to carry on research on some specific project. The maximum amount granted to each student will be \$400.

In making this grant, the Foundation expressed the hope that this program will stimulate superior students to participate in research under the direction of a faculty member, and that this research will lead to important advances in science education. The allocation committee will be headed by Fr. Donald Bahmann, C.P.P.S., a member of the geology staff at St. Joe's.

## College Gives 8 Promotions

Eight members of the St. Joseph's teaching staff will occupy new faculty positions with the beginning of the fall semester.

Fr. Edward A. Maziarz, academic dean of the college, announced that Fr. Urban J. Siegrist has been promoted from an associate professor to a full professor. Fr. Siegrist has recently received his Ph.D. from the Institutum Divi Thomae.

Four other members of the staff are being promoted from assistant professor to associate professor. These four are: Fr. Joseph A. Smolar, Fr. Clement J. Kuhns, Fr. Raymond M. Cera and Fr. Alvin W. Druhman.

Also on the promotion list are Fr. William L. Eilerman, Fr. Ambrose A. Ruschau and Fr. Paul R. White. These three members of the staff have been promoted from instructor to assistant professor.

An associate professorship means that the teacher can be released from the college only for a grave and serious reason. An assistant professorship means that the teacher now has rank on the faculty and his probationary status as instructor is terminated.

## Dr. Kreyche Authors Book On Philosophy

Once again Dr. Robert J. Kreyche, M.A., Ph.D., has focused national attention on St. Joe's. The associate professor of philosophy has recently published a book on metaphysics entitled *First Philosophy*.

Dr. Kreyche completed the book, his second in the last six years, while working within the confines of Washburn hall last summer. The book was begun five years ago by the St. Joe author.

Published by Henry Holt and Company, Inc., New York, Dr. Kreyche's book treats the whole of metaphysics while integrating with it the doctrine of analogy and explaining the underlying theses of various other forms of philosophy.

As stated on the jacket, the book is "specifically designed to the needs of both student and teacher and includes a generous selection of questions and discussion topics, as well as explanatory footnotes. In particular, this text has a very special appeal for Catholic readers who want to gain a clear idea about the background of their philosophy."

Dr. Kreyche's first book, *Logic for Undergraduates*, was published by the Dryden Press, now part of the Holt company, in 1954 when the author was teaching at Loyola university, Chicago. Since then it has sold 22,000 copies and is being used in approximately 60 schools. Besides the printed editions, the book was also tape recorded in New York and New Jersey for the state societies for the blind.

Having received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the Catholic University of America, Dr. Kreyche performed post graduate work at DePaul university and began teaching at St. Joseph's college, Maryland, in 1946. One year later he began ten years of teaching at Loyola university and in 1952 he received his Ph.D. in philosophy from the University of Ottawa. Since then he has specialized in American philosophy.

At present he is a member of the American Catholic Philosophy Association, the Indiana Philosophy Association, the American Philosophical Association, the Metaphysical Society of America, and last year he was chosen an honorary member of the Delta Epsilon Sigma, the National Catholic Honor Society. He has also been recently appointed editor of *New Scholasticism*, the organ of the American Catholic Philosophical Association.

Dr. Kreyche's plans for the future consist in more writing, but for his next book he plans to switch to natural theology, Catholic philosophies of life, or something different from his previous books.

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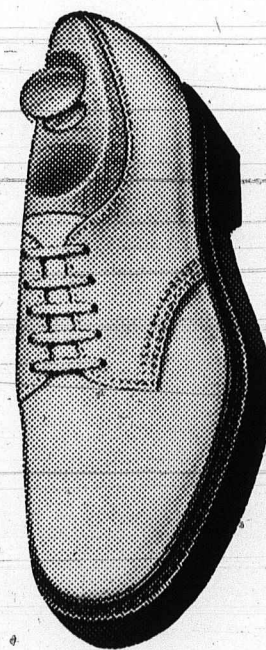
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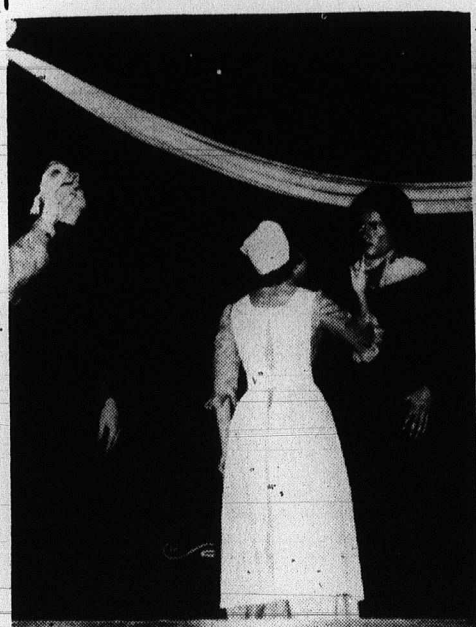
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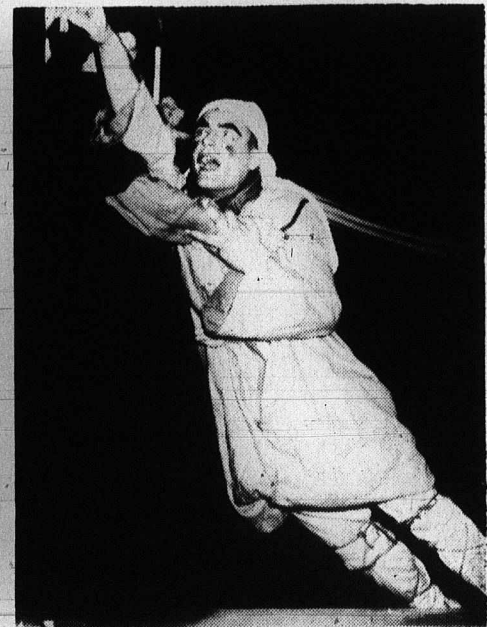
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## Club News

The Motor City club held its annual banquet for members at the Brook Country Club on Wednesday, May 6th. Elected as officers for next year at this meeting were president, Tom Cusick; treasurer, Mike Arce; and secretary, Jerry Mueller.

Reports on the club's activities for the past two semesters showed a highly successful year for the two year old club, except for a few financial setbacks which were later evened out.

Thanks for a job well done are given by the club members to their Staff reporter, Tom Cusick, who has been persistent in getting the club publicized through the paper, despite his lack of writing and spelling ability.

The Geology club will hold its final meeting of the year at Kanne's restaurant, May 14, at 6:00 p.m. Members are reminded to sign up in the cafeteria, May 11 or 12 at the evening meal. Members will be asked to give \$1.00 to alleviate the financial expenses of the meal.

At the dinner meeting installation of new officers will be undertaken and plans will be discussed for the coming year.

The San Jose Central Railroad club elected new officers at its April 27 meeting. Officers elected were Bob Larger, president; Russell Dhooge, vice-president; and Paul Simon, secretary-treasurer.

Thanks are offered by the club to all those who helped make the Arts, Crafts and Models contest, sponsored by the club, a success. The winners of the contest were Don Stazy, arts and crafts division, and Pat Goedert, models division.

On Thursday, May 7, the club was visited by grades two and three of Marion township school near Rensselaer. The visit was part of an educational-entertainment trip made by the grades and arranged by their teacher, Mrs. Grandstaff.

## St. Joe Profs Nieset, Siegrist Celebrate 25th

Fr. Carl F. Nieset, C.P.P.S., and Fr. Urban J. Siegrist, C.P.P.S., professors at St. Joseph's college, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their ordinations as priests of the Society of the Most Precious Blood May 1 on the college campus.

Some 250 relatives, guests and faculty members attended the Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving and a banquet held in the college cafeteria. The Most Rev. John J. Carberry, bishop of Lafayette-in-Indiana, celebrated the Mass.

Fr. Nieset, a native of Millersville, O., is an associate professor of geology. He came to St. Joseph's in 1937 after receiving his M. S. degree from the Catholic University of America. He has also done graduate work at Purdue university and the University of Texas.

He is a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Mineralogical Society of America, the Association of Geology teachers, the national geographic society, and the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

Fr. Siegrist is an associate professor of biology at St. Joseph's. A native of Cassella, O., he received his M. S. degree from Catholic University in 1936 and his Ph.D. degree last year from the Institutum Divi Thomae, a graduate school of research in Cincinnati. Fr. Siegrist's research for his dissertation involved antibiotics derived from the so-called higher, or green plants—herbs, shrubs and trees—which he has been working on since 1949.

Fr. Siegrist, who has been teaching at St. Joseph's since 1936, is a member of the Society of American Bacteriologists, the National Association of Biology Teachers, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the American Dairy Science Association, the American Forestry Association, the Society for the Study of Evolution, the American Nature Study Society, and the Indiana Academy of Science.

The Rifle club held its presidential elections at the April 7 meeting. Dan Talbot was elected next year's president. Elections of the other officers will be held at the first meeting of next semester, according to the constitutional requirements.

Also at this meeting a movie was shown by club moderator, Brother John Marling on Alaskan fishing.

The Commerce club held elections of officers for next year at its April 29 meeting. Don Donahue was elected president while Ron Koron and Joe Tryzna were chosen as secretary and treasurer respectively.

Outgoing officers of the club are Bill Riffe, president; Dave Kafka, secretary; and Hank Stukenborg, treasurer. The office of vice-president was abolished last fall because the members felt the duties could be easily handled by the rest of the officers.

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## Coming Events

Saturday, May 16, 1959

Baseball (2)  
Navy Pier Here  
Frosh-Soph Hop Evening  
South Pacific Rec. Hall

Sunday, May 17, 1959

Frosh Baseball (2)  
Hobart At Hobart

Monday, May 18, 1959

Book of Month Screwtape Letters  
Discussion Evening

Tuesday, May 19, 1959

Baseball (2)  
Marian At Marian

Wednesday, May 20, 1959

Pop Concert Auditorium  
St. Joe Band 8:15 p.m.

Thursday, May 21, 1959

Intramural Banquet Cafeteria  
Saturday, May 23, 1959

Baseball (2)  
Ball State Here

Tuesday, May 26, 1959

Baseball Banquet Cafeteria  
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Wednesday, May 27, 1959

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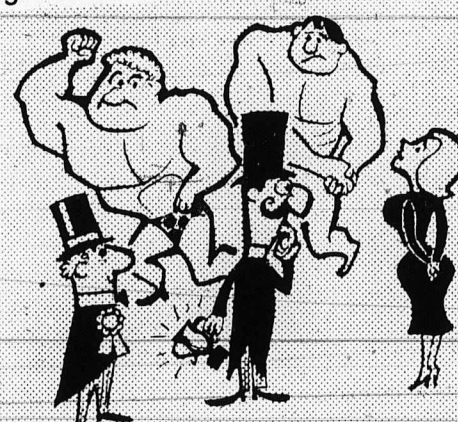
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English: MUSCLE-MAN CONTEST



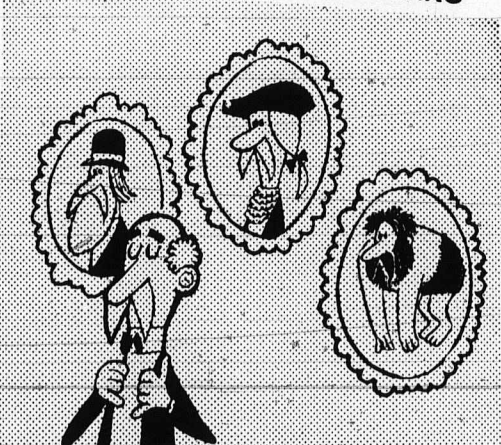
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English: DELEGATES TO A JAZZ CONVENTION



Thinklish translation: When the secretary of this meeting makes notes, he uses a saxophone. The chairman is the only guy who can rap his gavel with a syn-copated beat. The delegates (in Thinklish it's hepresentatives!) come from all schools of jazz: hot, cool, and room temperature. But they're in perfect harmony on one thing: the honest taste of a Lucky Strike. Get Luckies yourself. (You'll trumpet their praises.)

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# No Clutch Hits, Bad Breaks Leave Pumas With 1-8-2 Mark

by Jim Quinn

The college baseball season is at the halfway mark and the Pumas still haven't begun to jell. Poor clutch hitting and erratic base-running along with some bad breaks have left the team with one win, eight losses and two ties.

Bad breaks have plagued the Pumas from the start of the season. Seven of the 11 games could have gone either way. With a few good breaks the Joemen might have been running wild instead of also-rans. A hit at the right time, a line drive dropping instead of being caught might have meant the difference.

St. Joe pitching has been so-so. After 11 games the Puma moundsmen hold a 4.75 earned run average. Greg Grothouse, who has the only win, leads the pitchers with a 2.11 ERA.

The hitting has improved in recent games from .228 to .234. Jimmie Koehler, Tom Roemer, Tom Deem and Jim Gagliano have carried the brunt of the attack. Bob Groneman is hitting .308 after taking over Deem's catching duties. Deem was needed in right field to replace the badly slumping Al Whitlow.

Koehler and Deem have boosted

their averages considerably in the last few games. Said Koehler, "I was hitting the ball well, but they just wouldn't drop in. All you can do when you get in that kind of a slump is keep swinging and don't start experimenting. That's what I did and now some of those line drives are starting to fall in."

## ICC Standings

(Through May 9)

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Valparaiso*	10	2	.333	
Butler	5	3	.625	3
DePauw	4	3	.571	3½
Ball State	4	4	.500	4
Evansville	3	5	.375	5
Indiana State	2	6	.250	6
St. Joseph's	1	6	.143	6½

\*season completed

Koehler has seven hits in his last 13 at bats and has raised his average from a puny .143 to a potent .313. Deem has come from a .167 average to a .241 mark.

Big Tom Roemer has come through at first base in fine style. He is hitting .321 and is fielding 1.000. Jack Finnegan still hasn't snapped his slump and Jack and his teammates can't figure it out.

He was one of the big guns in last year's attack.

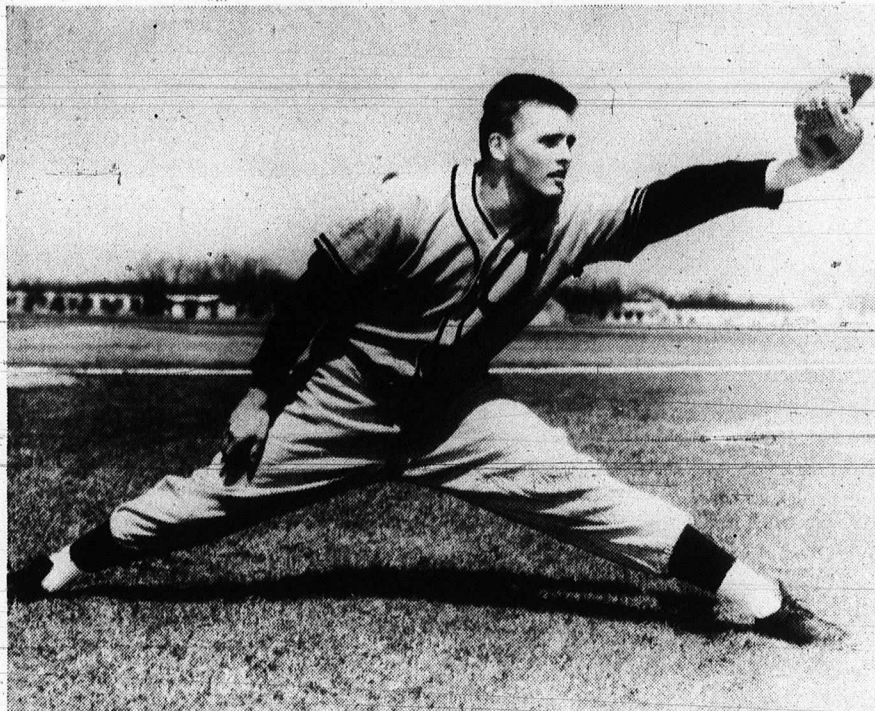
Finnegan hit .327 last summer while playing in a league in Ky. Finnegan said, "The league was at least as tough as our conference. I haven't changed my stance or anything else. As far as I know, I'm doing everything the same as I did last summer."

Shortstop Ray Kuzniar has dropped from a blazing .417 average to .242. Kuzniar has handled himself well at short with some fine fielding.

Second baseman Tom Freehill is hitting .286 and his defensive work has been good. Sophomore Bob Decker is still showing a lot of promise at his regular third base post. Decker's .200 average needs plenty of fattening up though. Said Decker, "I know I can hit and I have six more games to prove it."

Saturday, May 16, Navy Pier invades Collegeville for a pair of games. The Pumas travel to the state capitol to battle Marian College in two games Tuesday, May 19. The Ball State Cardinals will close the St. Joe diamond season when they come here for a Saturday twin-bill May 23.

## The Roemer Research



Tom Roemer, sophomore first baseman, has stretched his average to .321 and is fielding flawlessly.

## Pumas Split With State; Lose Twice to Bulldogs

St. Joe's baseball Pumas snapped one losing streak only to start right out on another. Led by Greg Grothouse's brilliant four-hit, shutout pitching, the Big Red defeated Indiana State, 5-0, in the first game of a twin bill on the Puma field. This was the first and, so far, the only win of the season for St. Joe.

The Sycamores evened matters in the night cap behind the fine relief work of Gary Sproat. 2-1. Butler then pushed the Pumas deeper into the ICC conference cellar by taking both ends of a double header at Butler, 7-4 and 12-3. Thus, St. Joe's record in conference play is now 1-6. They are 1-8-2 for the season.

Against Indiana State, Grothouse had a no-hitter through the first six innings but lost it when Homer Noblitt singled through the box to open the seventh. The Staters threatened to break into the scoring column only once in the game. In the eighth, they managed to advance runners to first and third with two outs but Grothouse worked his way out of the jam easily.

Pete Simon, the Pumas starter and loser in the nightcap, gave up seven hits and one walk while striking out two in the five innings he hurled. He became sick at the start of the sixth inning and had to be removed due to chills and a severe headache. Bob Gallaher relieved him after he had given up a triple. He almost got out of the inning without further trouble. But after retiring the next two batters without the runner scoring, Puma catcher Bob Groneman permitted the ball to get past him for a passed ball enabling the winning run to score. Jim Koehler led the Pumas at the plate with a perfect three for three.

Butler's Bulldogs combined lusty hitting and adequate pitching with St. Joe's stumbling defense to hand the Pumas a double setback and strengthen their grip on second place with a 5-3 conference record.

Butler's three run fourth inning off Puma losing pitcher Angelo Dattomo was enough to ice the first contest. Bob Gallaher, who relieved Dattomo in the third, proved to be the Pumas most effective pitcher of the day, hurling shutout ball the rest of the way, but the damage had already been done and the Bulldogs won easily, 7-3.

In the second game, the Pumas own ineptness in the field cost

them the ball game, 12-3. St. Joe took an early lead, 2-0, but Butler came roaring back. With the bases loaded and two out in the second, Puma starter and loser Simon walked the next two batters, forcing in Butler's first two runs of the game. Grothouse relieved and was apparently out of the inning when Strafford hit a grounder to short but Ray Kuzniar bobbled the ball and before the smoke cleared Butler had tallied ten runs on six hits, three walks, and four more Puma errors.



The Pumas winningest pitcher this season is junior Greg Grothouse with a 1-1 record and a 2.11 ERA.

## Bobby Williams Selected For All-Midwest Team

Guard Bobby Williams, of St. Joseph's 1958-59 basketball team, has been given another honor for his play in small college basketball games in the Midwest. Williams' latest honor was being named to the All-Midwest Catholic College basketball team.

The team was announced last Thursday by the Times-Review, official newspaper of the Catholic Diocese of LaCrosse, Wis. It was selected by the Times-Review sports staff from nominations submitted by publicity directors of small colleges in the Midwest.

Also named to the first team were Dave Thies, St. Mary's college; Al Latham, Lewis college; Jack Frasco, Loras college; and Jerry Lamers, St. Norbert's college.

Second team positions went to Don Danz, Lewis college; Bill Feller, St. Norbert's college; Bill Rhomberg, Loras college; Kevin Fennelly, St. Ambrose college; and Norb Kowalkowski, St. John's college.

Williams is a 5-10 junior who led the Indiana Collegiate Conference with a 20.5 average. He was an ICC All-Conference team choice and led St. Joseph's Pumas in field goal attempts, field goals scored, and field goal percentage as well as free throws attempted, scored and percentage. He was third in rebounding and one of St. Joseph's top playmakers.

## Servers' Day Here, May 26

Approximately 75 St. Joseph's students will be needed on Tuesday, May 26, to serve as referees, umpires and judges in the various games planned for 500 servers who will be honored on the campus that day.

Sponsored by the Athletic committee, with Ed Massura as its Student Council representative, Servers' Day is a special day every year when students from the neighboring schools have a field day on the St. Joe campus. This year is the first time it has been planned during the school year.

Servers will participate in many events, such as softball throw, broad jumping, relay races, and the 50-yard dash. Winners will be given ribbons and points and the school with the highest number of points will be given the all-sports trophy.

Besides judges and referees, students will also be needed to sell soft drinks during the day. Those interested in offering their help for Servers' Day are asked to contact Ed Massura in Noll 224.

## SJ Linksman Score Win Over Marian

St. Joe's golf team outpointed the Marian linksmen last Tuesday afternoon, 12-3. Low man for the Puma golfers was senior Jack Clifford who shot a 72. Dick Etter was right behind him with a 74. They were followed by Denny Hershberger, 78, Jim Klingele, 81, Dick Nietzel, 83, Fr. Clement Kuhns is the moderator of the golf team.

In match game play, each golfer gets one point for low score on the first nine, one point for the second nine and one point for the match. Thus, the highest possible score for each man is three points and the most the team can score is 15 points.

## Grid Pumas Close Practice

With the squad split up into Yellow and Red teams, St. Joe's football Pumas concluded their annual spring drills with an intra-squad scrimmage. Led by the hard running of halfbacks Les Klein and Dick Romo, the Reds ground out a 16-0 decision over the Yellows.

Romo scored one touchdown on a 10-yard run and Klein scored the other on a 15 yard jaunt. Both conversions were made on passes from Romo to Klein.

Because the Pumas do not as yet have a head coach due to the recent resignation of coach Bob Jauron, spring practice was under the direction of assistant coaches Joe Iofredo and "Butch" Zimmerman. According to coach Iofredo, this year's drills were quite successful. He said, "The kids had a lot of spirit and we had a good spring practice."

On the Red team were Jim Madden, le, Joe Rattionetti, lt, Larry McMahon, lg, Hank Murphy, c, Al Mudd, rg, Vic Roos, rt, Ray Regner, re, Mick McGovern, qb, Klein, rh, Romo, lh, and Mike Murphy, fb.

The Yellow team was made up of Dave Beran, le, Jim Yanan, lt, Tom Drennan, lg, Harry Harros, c, Larry McKay, rg, Mike Bartels, rt, George Rafferty, re, Ralph Gardner, qb, George Connelly, rh, Ted Lakomecki, lh, and Joe Kolecki, fb.

## One Isle Coming Up



Working on decorations for "South Pacific" are: (clockwise) Vic Pariso, Ray Gabel, Don McKillop, Ed Prystalski and Phil Ullo.

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